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SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS.

April 25, NAM-VIAN, French s.s., 435, A. Gaveau, Haiphong 23rd, April, General—SUNG LOONG.

April 26, AMOY, British steamer, 814, Hornbeam, Canton 26th April, General—SIMSEN & Co.

April 26, FOOCHEUNG, British steamer, 990, Hong Kong Canton 26th April, General—JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.

April 26, KUTTA, British steamer, 1,413, P. Harris, Yokohama, 17th April, Mails and General—P. & O. S. N. Co.

April 26, SOYAN, British s.s., 2,155, A. H. Johnson, London 7th March, Bombay, Colombo, Penang, and Singapore 21st April, Mails and General—P. & O. S. N. Co.

April 26, AXALANA, German steamer, 788, Pfaff, Hamburg 1st March, Penang, and Singapore 19th April, General—SIMSEN & Co.

April 26, ALBAT, British steamer, 366, F. D. Goddard, Swatow 25th April, General—DOUGLAS LAPEAK & Co.

April 26, AVANTIS, Danish steamer, 258, N. C. Rebeck, Falck and Hothow 22nd April, General—C. M. S. N. Co.

CHINESE BANKS.

AT THE HARBOUR MASTER'S OFFICE.

Brutus, German s.s., for Singapore. Aetna, Danish bark, for Tientsin. Ernst, German bark, for London. Gordon Castle, British s.s., for Shanghai. Amoy, British s.s., for Shanghai. Glencore, British s.s., for Woosung. Keangtung, British s.s., for Swatow.

DEPARTURES.

April 26, ROSSIN, British s.s., for Saigon. April 26, BELLOWS, German s.s., for Saigon. April 26, BYUOGAC, British s.s., for Saigon. April 26, HESPERIA, German steamer, for Woosung.

April 26, GLENAYON, British steamer, for Shanghai.

April 26, KWANTUNG, British steamer, for Coast Ports.

April 26, WOOF, German g.b., for Hohlow. April 26, LITZ, German g.b., for Swatow. April 26, GOLDEN CASTLE, British s.s., for Shanghai.

PASSENGERS.

ARRIVED.

For NAM-VIAN, s.s., from Haiphong—111 Chinese.

For KUO, s.s., from Yokohama—Messrs. Ford and Stephenson, Dr. and Mrs. Buckley, and 6 Chinese.

For SULEJ, s.s., from London—For Hong Kong—Lieut. C. Bowles, and Major Nash, from London. From Brindisi—Mr. and Mrs. Bremus, Messrs. D. A. Cucker, Hunter, and W. E. Galton, from Melbourne—Mr. and Mrs. Messrs. Moore, Mrs. and Misses, and 2 Chinese.

For KUO, s.s., from London—From Malta—Mr. B. L. B. From Singapore—Liaus, Armitage and Chaudry, Mr. R. E. Hanan, and 2 Chinese.

For ALEXANDRA, s.s., from Hamburg—26 Chinese.

For AMY, s.s., from Swatow—Mr. and Mrs. Ashmore and child, and 2 Chinese.

For KUO, s.s., for Amoy—Messrs. Tomas, Lissard, J. S. Moss, and Joseph C. Hughes. For Foudou, Mr. A. W. Brown.

TO DEPART.

For DECORA, s.s., from Hong Kong—For Singapore—Messrs. A. Stephen, Fong Keng, Fong Ka, and Lai Leng. For Plymouth—Mr. William Smith, and Mr. A. Collier. For London—Miss Watts and 2 children, Dr. and Mrs. Buckley, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Gibbs, Capt. Richard Skinner, Capt. Edmund Moore, Mr. O'Byrne, Mr. T. McLean, H. E. Bradburn, Dr. D. Estcourt, A. Alcock, 3 children and European and native servants, and A. Grundy. From Shanghai—For Singapore—Miss C. Le Blanche, For Victoria—Messrs. S. Morris and H. Taylor. For London—Mr. and Mrs. Gearling, 2 children, and amanu. Mrs. Dugdale (6), Misses Dugdale (6), Masters Dugdale (2), 2 children, and amanu. Mr. E. Swanson.

REPORTS.

The British steamship, 1,000 tons from Swatow to port light, 4000 s.s. and fine weather throughout. In Swatow the Steamer, Mong Kok, Keating, Antenor, Uting, Concolation, and Atoll.

SHANGHAI SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS.

14. Yakin, Chinese s.s., from Tientsin. 15. Nanking, British s.s., from Foochow. 15. Kiang-pai, Chinese s.s., from Ningpo. 15. Amoy, British s.s., from Amoy.

14. Cachin, German s.s., from Bangkok. 14. Argent, British bark, from Swatow. 14. Kiang-yang, Chinese s.s., from Hankow. 14. Si-wo, British s.s., from Amoy.

15. Amoy, British s.s., from Hongkong. 15. Tsinlin, British s.s., from Ningpo. 15. Ho-ting, Chinese s.s., from Tientsin. 15. Ikuo, British s.s., from Amoy.

15. W. de Vries, British s.s., from Hankow. 15. Lusitania, German s.s., from Nagasaki. 15. Antenor, British s.s., from Liverpool. 15. Solis, British bark, from Hatakote. 16. Kan-ji, British s.s., from Hankow. 16. Patricola, British s.s., from London. 16. Gianfranco, British s.s., from London. 16. Amanu, British s.s., from London.

16. Seal, British s.s., from London. 16. Pidia, British s.s., from Hankow. 16. Chitkung, British s.s., for Hong Kong. 16. Kiang-pai, Chinese s.s., for Ningpo. 15. Taiwo, British s.s., for Hankow.

16. Chinung, Chinese s.s., for Tientsin. 16. Kau-oh, Chinese s.s., for Tientsin. 16. Chung, Kau, British s.s., for Chaofo. 15. White, Kau, British s.s., for Hankow. 16. W. Thompson, British s.s., for Newchow. 16. Yihong, Chinese s.s., for Tsinlin. 16. Nanlung, British s.s., for Foochow. 16. Tsoch, British s.s., for Ningpo. 16. Yang-nan, Chinese s.s., for Woosung. 16. Kestrel, British g.b., for Ningpo.

AUCTION SALES 10-DAY.

J. M. ARMSTRONG, Household Furniture, &c. At 3 p.m.

THE CHINESE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that ORIGINAL STOCK CERTIFICATE No. 1923, dated 18th June, 1882, for three SHARES in the above Company, standing in the name of REUBEN SOLOMON has been lost, and should the same not be produced before the 9th May next, a duplicate thereof will be issued to REUBEN SOLOMON or to transaction taking place under the said Original Stock Certificate No. 1923 will be recognized by the Company.

By Order of the Board of Directors.

J. JACKSON, Chief Manager.

D. M. LAULAIN, Acting Secretary.

Hongkong, 16th April, 1883.

BANKS.

ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION
(INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER).

PAID-UP CAPITAL..... 21,500,000.

LONDON BANKERS:

BANK OF ENGLAND.

UNION BANK OF LONDON, LIMITED.

BANK OF SCOTLAND.

RATES OF INTEREST ALLOWED

ON DEPOSITS—

At 3 Months' Notice 3 per Cent. per Annum.

6 Months' Notice 4 per Cent. per Annum.

12 Months' Notice 5 per Cent. per Annum.

Current Accounts kept on Terms which may be learnt on application.

Hongkong, 1st June, 1883.

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WE have this day admitted Mr. CLEMENT PALMER, A.R.I.B.A., a Partner in our firm, which in future will be carried on under the style of BIRD & PALMER.

WILSON & BIRD,

Architects, &c.

Hongkong, 25th April, 1883.

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NOTICE.

M. R. W. L. LOXLEY will sign our firm

PAID-UP CAPITAL..... 5,000,000 of Dollars.

RESERVE FUND..... 2,500,000 of Dollars.

Course or Directions—

Chairman—W. J. REINERS, Esq.

Deputy Chairman—W. S. YOUNG, Esq.

1. L. Dalmatys, Esq. A. Mofor, Esq.

F. D. SASSON, Esq.

A. P. McKEE, Esq.

CHIEF MANAGER—

J. THOMAS JACKSON, Esq.

MANAGER—

SHAW, CAMERON, Esq.

LONDON BANKERS—LONDON & COUNTY BANK.

HONGKONG—INTEREST ALLOWED

ON FIXED DEPOSITS—

For 3 months' 3 per Cent. per Annum.

For 6 months' 4 per Cent. per Annum.

For 12 months' 5 per Cent. per Annum.

Current Accounts Discovered—

Creditors granted on account of Depositors, and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.

Debts created on London, and the chief commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, America, China and Japan.

T. JACKSON, Chief Manager.

Offices of the Corporation—

No. 1, Queen's Road East.

Hongkong, 4th April, 1883.

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NOTICE.

WE have authorized Mr. BENDYSHE

LAYTON to sign our firm

from the 23rd instant.

W. BLACKHEAD & Co.

Hongkong, 1st March, 1883.

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NOTICE.

M. R. FREDERICK THOMAS PEARCE

FOSTER is admitted a Partner in our

Firm from the 1st instant.

J. LINSTEAD & DAVIS.

Hongkong, 1st April, 1883.

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NOTICE.

A. QUANTITY of NEW FINE ART Goods,

Consisting of MILLER SKETCHES,

WATER COLOUR DRAWINGS, OINTTYPE, &

WINSOR & NEWTON'S ARTISTS' Goods,

Consisting of OIL and WATER COLOURS,

BRUSHES, CANVAS for OIL DRAWING BLOCKS,

ANTI-COCKROACH VARNISH.

W. BENDYSHE LAYTON to sign our firm

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OUTFITTING DEPARTMENT.

SUMMER, 1883.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.

ZEPHERINE CAMBRIC SHIRTING.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.
Lane Thread and Cotton SOCKS, Novelty Patterns.LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.
Straw and Felt HATS.LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.
Christy's Light FELT HATS.LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.
Summer SCARFS and TIES.LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.
Cambric and Silk BRACES.LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.
BATHING DRAWERS and DRESSES.LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.
Hongkong, 26th April, 1883. [632]

NOTICE.

A. S. WATSON AND CO. & CO.

CHEMISTS.

By Appointment to His Excellency the GO-

VERNOR and His Royal Highness the

DUKE OF EDINBURGH.

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DRUGGISTS,

PEPPERS.

PATENT MEDICINE VENDORS,

DRUGGISTS' SUNDRY GOODS.

And

ABRATED WATER MAKERS.

SHIPS' MEDICINE CHESTS ETC.

PASSENGER SHIPS SUPPLIED.

NOTICE.—To avoid delay in the execution of Orders it is particularly requested that all business communications be addressed to the Firm, A. S. WATSON AND CO., or HONGKONG DISPENSARY. [633]

NOTICES TO CORRESPONDENTS.

Communications on Editorial matters should be addressed to "The Editor" and those on business "The Manager," and not to individuals by name.

Correspondents are requested to forward their name and address with communications addressed to the Editor, not for publication, but as evidence of good faith.

All letters for publication should be written on one side of the paper only.

Advertisements and Subscriptions which are not ordered for a fixed period will be continued until discontinued.

Orders for extra copies of the *Daily Press* should be sent before 11 a.m. on the day of publication. After that hour the supply is limited.

DEATH.—On the 16th instant, at Rio de Janeiro, the wife of THOMAS COVIL, of a daughter. [783]

DEATH.—At Manila, on the 10th April, WILLIAM STEVENSON.

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The Daily Press.

HONGKONG, APRIL 27TH, 1883.

In a review of the List of Chinese Light-houses, Light-vessels, Buoys, and Beacons for 1883, published by the Chinese Imperial Maritime Customs, the *Shanghai Mercury* says:—"We are sorry to find that still no lights are established on the long and much frequented stretch of coast between Breaker Point and Hongkong; but we are glad to see in the list, that most of the Chinese lighthouses are well provided with efficient means for making fog signals, which is more than can be said, unfortunately, of the light-houses belonging to the British Colony of Hongkong, and Whampoa, he commented.

The annual meeting of seafarers of Etat, held at the British Consulate, on the 17th afternoon. A meeting of trustees was held first, at which the Colonial Chaplain, the Rev. W. Jennings, Mr. B. Sharp, treasurer, and Capt. H. G. Thomas, R.N., were present. This meeting was held in the room of the trustees, and the corps will proceed to Kowloon instead of Happy Valley, as previously arranged.

The following extract from the *Straits Times* is very differently worded from that which came direct to this port on the same subject:—"London, 17th April.—M. Bourges has been recalled, the French Government considering the treaty concluded between him and the Chinese Government not justifiable."

We learn that Dr. Coote Real, the able and energetic Colonial Secretary of Macao, has been recalled. Another appointment is to be given to this zealous and conscientious officer, but the Lisbon Government have, by removing him from the position of Vice-Admiral, and the arrival of St. Vincent, Cape de Verde, on the 18th inst., and continued his voyage on the 20th inst.

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INSURANCES.

MANCHESTER FIRE ASSURANCE COMPANY OF MANCHESTER AND LONDON.

ESTABLISHED 1824.

CAPITAL OF THE COMPANY £1,000,000 Sterling, Of which is Paid-up £100,000 Sterling.

RESERVE FUND UPWARDS £120,000 Sterling, Of which is Paid-up £10,000 Sterling.

ANNUAL INCOME £250,000 Sterling.

The Underwriters have appointed Agents for the above Company at HONGKONG, CANTON, FOOCHOW, SHANGHAI, and HANKOW, and are prepared to grant Insurances of Current Rates.

HOLLIDAY, WISE & CO., Hongkong, 15th October, 1882.

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PHENIX FIRE OFFICE

The Underwriters are now prepared to

GRANT POLICIES OF INSURANCE against FIRE at the following Rates:

On First-class European Tenants at 1/2 Net per Annum.

On First-class Godowns, & Merchandise stored

therein, at 1/2 Net per Annum.

On Coals, at 1/2 Net per Annum.

On Petroleum in H. C. Godowns, at 1/2 Net per Annum.

On Second-class Chinese Tenants at 2/3 Net per Annum.

Tenants at 2/3 Net per Annum.

DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & CO., Agents for Phenix Fire Office, Hongkong, 5th August, 1881.

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NOTICE.

THE CHINA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

Is prepared to ACCEPT FIRST-CLASS RISKS at 1/2 Net per Annum, and other INSURANCES at Current Rates.

AGENCIES at all the Treaty Ports of China, and Japan, and at Singapore, Saigon, Peiping, and the Philippines.

JAS. B. COUGHTRIE, Secretary, Hongkong, 27th March, 1882.

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CALEDONIAN FIRE AND LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY.

ESTABLISHED 1805.

THE Underwriters having been appointed Agents for the above Company are prepared to issue Policies of Insurance against Fire on the merits.

ADENIOLD KABEERG & CO., Hongkong, January 1882.

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HEAD OFFICE—SHANGHAI.

CAPITAL (FULLY SUBSCRIBED) £1,000,000.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS.

TONG KING SING, Esq., Chairman.

CHU YU CHEE, Esq. | CHANG SU HO, Esq.

CHING TO CHAI, Esq. | YIP YU TIN, Esq.

and ten others.

HO SHUN CHEE, Esq., Secretary.

The Company GRANTS POLICIES to all Contributors of Business whether Shareholders or not.

HO SHUN CHEE, Secretary, Head Office, Hankow Road, Shanghai, 1st June, 1882.

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SCOTTISH IMPERIAL INSURANCE COMPANY.

FREE AND LIFE.

INSURANCES against FIRE granted at Current Rates. Considerable Reduction in Premium for LIFE INSURANCES in China.

MEYER & CO., Agents, Hongkong, 3rd June, 1882.

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TRANSATLANTIC FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY OF HAMBURG.

The Underwriters, having been appointed Agents for the above Company, are prepared to ACCEPT RISKS against FIRE at Current Rates.

SIEMENS & CO., Agents, Hongkong, 16th November, 1882.

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NOTICE.

QUEEN FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

The Underwriters, Agents for the above Company, are prepared to ACCEPT RISKS on FIRST-CLASS GODOWNS at 1/2 Net per Annum.

NORTON & CO., Agents, Hongkong, 2nd May, 1882.

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THE MAN ON INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

HEAD OFFICE—HONGKONG.

CAPITAL (FULLY SUBSCRIBED) £1,000,000.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS.

LEUNG ON, Esq., President.

BAN HUP, Esq. | YOKHONG FENG, Esq.

CHAN LI CHAI, Esq. | Y. HOI CHAI, Esq.

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WOO LIN YUEN, Secretary, Head Office, The Queen's West, Hongkong, 14th March, 1883.

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